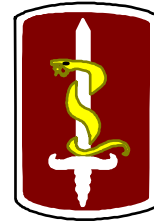




BIOGRAPHY



Command Sergeant Major Dale A. Christopher - 30th Medical Brigade Command Sergeant Major



Command Sgt. Maj. Dale A. Christopher hails from St. Thomas, US Virgin Islands. He enlisted in the United States Army in September 1977, attended basic training at Fort Jackson, South Carolina, and Advanced Individual Training as a Combat Medical Specialist at Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

Command Sgt. Maj. Christopher is a graduate of the Primary Leadership Development Course, Basic Noncommissioned Officer Course, Advance Noncommissioned Officer Course (Honor Graduate), First Sergeants Course, The United States Army Sergeants Major Academy, and the Command Sergeants Major Course. He earned an Associates Degree in General Studies at Parks College.

Command Sgt. Maj. Christopher has held every Leadership position from Squad Leader to Command Sgt. Maj. He currently serves as Brigade Command Sgt. Maj., 30th Medical Brigade, Heidelberg, Germany. Previous positions included: Command Sergeant Major 28th Combat Support Hospital, Ft. Bragg, NC, Command Sergeant Major 261st Area Support Medical Battalion, Ft. Bragg, NC, Senior Enlisted Advisor Defense Medical Readiness Training Institute, Ft. Sam Houston, TX, First Sergeant Charlie Company 302nd Forward Support Battalion, Camp Casey, Korea, First Sergeant 57th Medical Company(AA), Ft. Bragg, NC, First Sergeant 5th Mobile Army Surgical Hospital, Ft. Bragg, NC, Detachment Sergeant 214th Medical Detachment (AA), Albrook Panama, Operation Sergeant 142nd Medical Battalion Forward, Ft. Clayton, Panama.

Command Sgt. Maj. Christopher has been awarded: the Bronze Star Medal, the Meritorious Service Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, the Army Achievement Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, the Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, the Iraqi Campaign Medal, the Humanitarian Service Medal, the NCO Professional Developmental Ribbon, the Army Service Ribbon, and the Overseas Service Ribbon. He has earned the converted Expert Field Medical Badge, the Aviation Crew Members Badge, the Parachutist Badge, the Polish and Russian Parachutist Badge, and the Air Assault Badge, the Order of Saint Michael (Bronze Award) and finally, accepted with gratitude, the Order of Military Medical Merit.